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Thanks.

- Bob

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Bob: This is one of my occasional requests for an update on the status of the Cottman Avenue Site. I stopped by recently to do a quick look around, noting that the City Water Department appears to have completed its installation or restoration of the CSO, and the fences along the foot of Cottman Avenue. Do you have keys to that gate entrance to the Site? My key still opens the gate along Milnor Street, but as I mentioned previously, the key I was given for the Cottman gate did not open that gate.

In reviewing the Current Site Information on the EPA Web Site I saw that "Sediment Sampling to monitor the protectiveness of the remedy is scheduled to take place in spring of 2015." Would I be correct in assuming that will be performed off-site in the near Delaware River adjacent to the site?

Also there was a note "that part of the wall needs to be repaired. EPA is currently working with the PRPs on a repair plan. Repair work should be completed in 2015." Has this work been started or completed yet? I didn't see the information that showed damage to the wall, or which wall was being referred to. Can you enlighten me? Was the report of damage or the need for repair described in one of the monthly reports on the site?

Kindly fill me in on this matter as it could be important information for any expected (or unexpected) persons on the site.

Quite apart from the foregoing, I hope you survived the long and difficult winter intact. I suppose we should have no real complaints. Our winter was nowhere near what others have had to endure (Boston for example). Now that real spring is in our sights although not quite convincingly, it's time to dust off the books and assess all things relevant to our charges. That's what has prompted my questions. As always, thank you for your anticipated assistance and cooperation.

John

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